

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q85474

Tsukasa YOSHIDA

Appln. No.: 10/535,178

Group Art Unit: 3765

Confirmation No.: 5671

Examiner: Andrew W. Sutton

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For: PORTABLE SHOEHORN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 9, 2008 to January 9, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$555.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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